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1. ON OCT 6 ECONCOUNS CALLED ON AMBASSADOR CABRAL DE MELLO TO DISCUSS PREPCON II. CABRAL DE MELLO SUGGESTED A MEETING WITH UNDER SECRETARY ROBINSON AT 9:30 AM MONDAY AT THE HOTEL RAPHAEL. IF THIS IS ACCEPTABLE TO THE UNDER SECRETARY, CABRAL DE MELLO ASKED THAT HE BE INFORMED THROUGH MINISTER OCTOAVIO RAINHO AT THE BRAZILIAN EMBASSY IN PARIS. CABRAL DE MELLO CONFIRMED THAT HE WOULD HEAD THE BRAZILIAN DELEGATION, AND OTHER MEMBERS WOULD BE: DR. EDSON GUEIROS, PETROBRAS: FIRST SECRETARY SEBASTIAN DO REGO BARROS, DEPUTY CHIEF OF THE FONOFF'S BASIC PRODUCTS DIVISION: AND FROM THE BRAZILIAN EMBASSY IN PARIS, RAINHO AND JOSE BOTAFOGO. ECONCOUNS PRESENTED A LIST OF THE MEMBERS OF THE US DELEGATION IN AN ASIDE CABRAL DE MELLO COMMENTED THAT IT WAS "LONG FOR SUCH A SAMLL MEETING."

2. CABRAL DE MELLO'S VIEWS ON PREPCON II ISSUES GENERALLY ACCORDED WITH THOSE OF SEBASTIAN BARROS (REF B) . OVERALL, CABRAL DE MELLO DOESAW NO PROBLEMS AT PREPCON II, (IT WOULD "RATIFY WHAT HAS BEEN AGREED"), ALTHOUGH HE THOUGHT THAT ORGANIZATIONAL PROBLEMS FOR THE CONFERENCE AND THE COMMISSIONS HAD BEEN "TERRIBLY DIFFICULT." ON SPECIFIC POINTS, CABRAL DE MELLO EMPHASIZED THAT COMMISSION MEETINGS OF 15 DAYS DURATION EACH MONTH WOULD POSE PERSONNEL PROBLEMS FOR PARTICIPANT GOVERNMENTS, THAT THE MINISTERIAL CONFERENCE NEEDED ONE CHAIRMAN WHO WOULD MONITOR AND BE AVAILABLE TO THE COMMISSIONS, THAT MEMBERS OF THE CONFERENCE NOT SITTING ON A COMMISSION SHOULD NOT BE CONFIDENTIAL

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DENIED ACCESS TO COMMISSION MEETINGS, THAT OTHER COUNTRIES COULD NOT BE ACCOMMODATED AT COMMISSION MEETINGS, AND THAT INTERNATIONAL ORGANIZATIONS COULD BE INVITED BY COMMISSIONS TO ATTEND THEIR MEETINGS WHEN NEEDED, THIS BEING A MATTER FOR COMMISSION CHARIMAN TO RULE ON SINCE DISCIPLINE WOULD BE THEIR RESPONSIBILITY.

3. CABRAL DE MELLO NOTED HUMOROUSLY THATHE HAD RECEIVED

AIDE MEMOIRES FROM MANY COUNTRIES, INCLUDING
DC'S AND LDC'S, ASKING BRAZIL'S SUPPORT FOR THEIR BIDS
FOR CONFERENCE MEMBERSHIP. HE EXPLAINED THAT LA
REPRESENTATIVES WOULD MEET SOON EITHER IN NEW YORK
OR GENEVA IN ORDER TO SELECT THE OTHER FOUR LA MEMBERS.
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